1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
5	Chhattisgarh	21.32	110.01	131.33	30	101.33	77.16
6	Goa	1.73	2.83	4.56	0.2	4.36	95.61
7	Gujarat	41.21	87.54	128.75	24.32	104.43	81.11
8	Haryana	29.79	47.66	77.45	42.15	35.3	45.58
9	Himachal Pradesh	16.12	60.69	76.81	32.93	43.88	57.13
10	(Jammu Div.)	8.93	18.74	27.67	6.58	21.09	76.22
11	(Kashmir Div.)	9.66	13.52	23.18	13.29	9.89	42.67
12	Jharkhand	80.59	47.07	127.66	62.89	64.77	50.74
13	Karnataka	86.43	51.25	137.68	27.89	109.79	79.74
14	Kerela	78.64	54.26	132.9	70.93	61.97	46.63
15	Madhya Pradesh	301.9	0	301.9	118.6	183.3	60.72
16	Maharashtra	73.17	205.34	278.51	70.38	208.13	74.73
17	Manipur	15.33	21.37	36.7	0.5	36.2	98.64
18	Meghalaya	6.97	17.35	24.32	5.84	18.48	75.99
19	Mizoram	9.04	32.38	41.42	11.85	29.57	71.39
20	Nagaland	0.37	40.29	40.66	0.76	39.9	98.13
21	Orissa	161.28	28.09	189.37	63.43	125.94	66.50
22	Punjab	34.92	41.06	75.98	45.97	30.01	39.50
23	Rajasthan	38.82	89.51	128.33	49.38	78.95	61.52
24	Sikkim	3.35	19.24	22.59	2.06	20.53	90.88
25	Tamil Nadu	49.87	145.83	195.7	85.96	109.74	56.08
26	Tripura	13.39	6.83	20.22	9.14	11.08	54.80
27	Uttar Pradesh	198.05	317.16	515.21	169.52	345.69	67.1 0
28	Uttaranchal	48.48	29.76	78.24	29.32	48.92	62.53
29	West Bengal	41.71	192.4	234.11	90.1	144.01	61.51
30	A and N Islands	14.25	0	14.25	11.72	2.53	17.75
31	Chandigarh	3.83	3	6.83	1.82	5.01	73.35
32	D and N Haveli	4.47	2.75	7.22	0.59	6.63	91.83
33	Daman and Diu	5.1	0	5.1	2.27	2.83	55.49
34	Delhi	16.8	44.81	61.61	12.96	48.65	78.96
35	Lakshadweep	9.42	0	9.42	9.1	0.32	3.40
36	Pondicherry	2.77	7.24	10.01	0.86	9.15	91.41
	TOTAL:	1776.86	2000.02	3776.88	1421.46	2355.42	62.36

Increasing of retirement age

1431. SHRI VED PRAKASH P. GOYAL: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the present status of the proposal of increasing the retirement age of sub-cadre of general duty medical officers of the Central Health Services;

(b) whether it is a fact that retirement age of only three sub-cadres out of four of Central Health Services has been increased and if so, the reasons therefor;

(c) whether it is also a fact that the cabinet has turned down the proposal of increasing the retirement age of the general duty medical officers; and

(d) if so, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRIMATI PANABAKA LAKSHMI): (a) The proposal for enhancement of age of Doctors belonging to General Duty Medical Officer (GDMO) sub-cadre of Central Health Service has been referred to Sixth Central Pay Commission.

(b) Yes, Sir. The age of retirement of only three Specialist sub-cadres of Central Health Service has been increased mainly due to the following reasons:

(i) Shortage of doctors in Specialists sub-cadres.

(ii) Late Entry of Specialist into Service.

(iii) Increase of seats, in Central Education Institutions for implemention of the Government decision to reserve 27% Seats for OBC Candidates.

(c) and (d) The proposal was brought before the Cabinet, which decided not to go ahead with the same, as similar issues are being examined by 6th CPC.

Hepatitis-B elimination drive

1432. SHRI ABU ASIM AZMI: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have finally decided to start a drive against Hepatitis-B in the country;

(b) if so, by when and the reasons for not introducing it in all the States, particularly Uttar Pradesh and Maharashtra;

(c) whether newly born babies and small children only shall be vaccinated with the monovalent Hepatitis-B or the young ones also; and

(d) how far this vaccination has proved to be fruitful?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (DR. ANBUMANI RAMADOSS): No, Sir. It conducted only a pilot project against Hepatitis B in 14 cities and 33 districts in the country enclosed list at Statement (*See* below) in the year 2002.

(b) Doesn't arise.

(c) Under the pilot project of Hepatitis B, vaccination was given to infants of 0-1 year of age.

(d) Year-wise coverage of 3rd dose of Hepatitis B vaccine under pilot area is as under:—

Year	Coverage(%)
2003	89
2004	86
2005	69
2006	72
2007*	74

*Provisional figure (Jan-July 2007)